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SUBJECT: MULTIPLE ENTRY/EXIT VISAS

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1. ENTIRE APPENDIX C RECIPROCITY SCHEDULE UNDER REVIEW;
HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT PREPARED TO AUTHORIZE MULTIPLE ENTRY L
OR B-1 VISAS, AS APPROPRIATE, VALID FOR TWELVE MONTHS FOR
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES OF SOVIET FOREIGN TRADE ORGANIZA-
TIONS IN US. GRANTING OF MULTIPLE ENTRY VISAS WOULD BE ON
RECIPROCAL BASIS FOR SOVIET ISSUANCE OF MULTIPLE ENTRY AND
EXIT VISAS TO ALL REPRESENTATIVES OF ACCREDITED US FIRMS IN
THE USSR.

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2. WE BELIEVE THAT AGREEMENT TO ISSUE MULTIPLE ENTRY VISAS
ON RECIPROCAL BASIS SHOULD BE FORMALIZED BY EXCHANGE OF
NOTES, AS IN CASE OF OTHER COUNTRIES WHERE SUCH AGREEMENTS
EXIST. REQUEST EMBASSY, THEREFORE, SUBMIT DRAFT OF PROPOSED
NOTE AT SUCH TIME AS YOU CONSIDER IT APPROPRIATE TO APPROACH
MFA.

3. WE BELIEVE THAT AGREEMENT ON MULTIPLE ENTRY OFFERS BAL-
ANCE OF BENEFITS AND THAT NUMERICALLY SOVIETS MAY HAVE SOME
ADVANTAGE. DEPARTMENT WOULD, THEREFORE, PREFER NOT TO

LINK THIS ISSUE WITH REDUCTION TO 14 DAYS OF VISA
PROCESSING TIME FOR SOVIET BUSINESS PERSONNEL. WE ARE,
HOWEVER, EXAMINING WITH INTERESTED AGENCIES TECHNICAL
ASPECTS OF REDUCING TIME PERIOD AND WILL ADVISE
EMBASSY. ONE PROPOSAL UNDER DISCUSSION TO REDUCE PROCESS-
ING TIME IN WASHINGTON WOULD BE TO REQUIRE MORE PRECISE
INFORMATION IN ORIGINAL APPLICATION ON BUSINESS PURPOSE
AND TECHNOLOGY INVOLVED. CHRISTOPHER

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